



## CITY OF ATLANTA


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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Mr. Adam Smith, Chief of Procurement  
Department of Procurement

**FROM:** George N. Turner, Chief of Police   
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**DATE:** July 31, 2013

**SUBJECT:** Sole Source Request, AT&T Corporation; \$ 200,090.36

The Atlanta Police Department is requesting for AT&T Corporation to be recognized as a Sole Source for the City of Atlanta High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas (HIDTA) Program. AT&T Corporation is one of the world's largest telecommunications corporations. They offer reliable, high-quality products and services and excellent customer care by creating innovative products and services for consumers and businesses. The analytical services offered by AT&T are needed for the Atlanta HIDTA Program.

AT&T's analytical services aids the Atlanta HIDTA Investigative Support Center in accomplishing its mission of providing accurate, detailed, and timely tactical, investigative, and strategic intelligence analysis to drug law enforcement and other investigations and prosecutions supported by the Atlanta HIDTA and meeting the priorities of the HIDTA Executive Committee.

Based on the facts above, the Atlanta Police Department is requesting that the Department of Procurement grant AT&T as a Sole Source for the Atlanta HIDTA. AT&T is the only provider of the unique analytical services matching the need of the Atlanta HIDTA. These services aid HIDTA in the continuum of lawfully analyzing telecommunications data proprietary to AT&T for the investigations and prosecutions of individuals involved in drug trafficking.